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#### WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:

1	1.	A method for classifying message information for a user of a wireless communication			
2	devid	device, the method comprising the steps of:			
3		receiving a plurality of messages of a first format intended for a user of a wireless			
4	com	communication device;			
5		receiving a plurality of messages of a second format intended for said user of said			
6	wirel	wireless communication device;			
7		determining classification information for each of the messages; and			
8		forwarding an alert message to said wireless communication device,			
9		wherein said alert message includes said classification information.			
1	2.	The method of claim 1 wherein said classification information includes information			
2		about the format of the message received.			
1	3.	The method of claim 1 wherein said classification information includes information			
2		about the origin of the message received.			
1	4.	The method of claim 1 comprising the additional step of:			
2		receiving a plurality of messages of a third format intended for said user of a wireless			
3	comn	communication device.			
1	5.	The method of claim 1 wherein said determining step is accomplished using			
2		predetermined rules.			
1	6.	The method of claim 5 whomin and also are will 11 and a second of the se			
1	υ.	The method of claim 5 wherein said rules are provided by said user of said wireless			

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2		communication device.	
1	7.	The method of claim 5 wherein said first format is a voice mail format.	
i	8.	The method of claim 5 wherein said first format is a fax format.	
1	9.	The method of claim 5 wherein said first format is an e-mail format.	
1	10.	The method of claim 5 wherein said first format is a paging format.	
1	11.	The method of claim 5 wherein said first format is a short message service format.	
1 2	12.	The method of claim 5 wherein said first format is a WAP push or other ammatic format.	
1	13.	A method for classifying message information for a user of a wireless communication	
2	device, the method comprising the steps of:		
3		receiving a first message intended for the user of a wireless communication device;	
4		determining classification information for said message; and	
5		sending a second message to said wireless communication device including said	
6	classification information.		
1 2	14. messa	The method of claim 13 wherein said second message further includes said first ge.	
ī	15.	The method of claim 13 wherein said determining step is accomplished using	

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2 predetermined rules.

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1	16.	The method of step 15 wherein said rules are provided by said user of said wireless		
2	comn	communication device.		
1	17.	A method for displaying incoming message information to a user of a wireless		
2	comn	communication device comprising the steps of:		
3		receiving a plurality of messages at said wireless communication device;		
4		determining classification information for each message of said plurality of messages		
5	using	using a predetermined set of rules; and		
6		displaying a summary of said plurality of messages to said user of said wireless		
7	comr	communication device based on said classification information.		
1	18.	The method of claim 17 wherein said rules are determined by said user of said		
2	wirel	wireless communication device.		
ì	19.	The method of claim 17 further comprising the step of:		
2		organizing said plurality of messages using said classification information.		
1	20.	The method of claim 19 wherein said classification information includes information		
2	abou	t the type of the message.		
1	21.	The method of claim 20 wherein said displaying step includes displaying the number		
2	of me	of messages by type.		

The method of claim 19 wherein said classification information includes information

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- 2 about the origin of the message.
- 1 23. The method of claim 22 wherein said displaying step includes displaying the number
- 2 of messages by origin.